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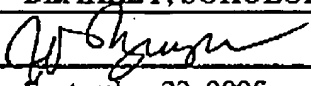
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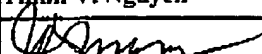
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In the Office Action mailed September 12, 2005, the Examiner states that with the amendment filed on June 29, 2005, Applicants have added a new species, a passive element. Applicants are now asked to choose between claims 9-24, toward a passive element, and claims 33-48, a resistor. Thus, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 121, the Examiner requires Applicant to restrict the application to one of the alleged two inventions.

In compliance with 35 U.S.C. §121, Applicant elects claims 9-24, toward a passive element.

The Examiner states that "[t]he Applicant is also (again) requested to choose between the two species, between an inductor and a resistor. However, the elected claims 9-24 cover the passive element which is generic.

The Examiner further states that "[t]he applicant is asked to again affirm the election of device claims, or opt to elect method claims as no office action has been completed." The elected claims 9-24 are device claims.

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### Conclusion

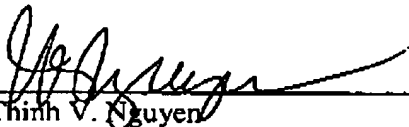
Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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